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Chinese Laundry, 10 Main Street.

Single wash, 25 cents.
Price 50 cents
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Goods called for and delivered promptly
at 12 o'clock. Paid in advance. Direct Importers of
the Chinese tea.

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AND REPAIRED.

All Tailor work promptly done
and satisfaction guaranteed. Prices
that will suit you.

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a great move, but hardly more

so than the drop in the price

of our Ladies'

Sterling silver
waist sets

Good on 25 cents upwards.

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Delivered to any part of

the city by the Quart,

Gallon and in Brick.

Special rates for parties
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Nice Cosy Parcels now

open.

10-12 Main Street.

There Is
No Time

like the present
to order your
COAL or Baled
Shavings of

N. H.
Arnold,

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St.

COAL is as low
now as it will
be and Shav-
ings cost only
1-3 as much as
straw.

"I guess"

How long would you employ a
tailor or dressmaker who
"guessed" that the garment fitted
or "guessed" that the material
or fabric was good and worth
the money.

Why not be fully as partic-
ular about the quality of that
which enters into and sustains
the body.

Everyone

Likes to dress well and that is
commendable, but which is of
the most importance, the body
or its covering.

I am to know that every
piece of goods which leaves my
store is correct in quality and
price.

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"IF YOU SEE IT IN OUR
STOCK, IT'S NEW!"

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at which we are now
selling spring and
summer SUITINGS
should appeal forcibly to intending buyers,
whether needed for immediate use or
not, a like favorable
opportunity may not
be at hand later.

The line

we are showing is no-
where approached for variety and
intrinsic value.

EXCLUSIVE STYLES.

P. J. Boland,

Boland blk, North Adams.

Local News!

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—A Williamstown man is authority for
the statement that there was a light frost
this morning.

—The Birch family enjoyed a wagon
ride to Readsboro, Vt., Sunday, returning
by way of the east end, in one of Flagg's
four-horse turnout.

—The Universalist parish will hold a
social in the chapel Tuesday evening. An
entertaining program will be rendered and
light refreshments will be served.

—A class has been formed in the eighth
grade at Drury Academy which will take
a special course during the summer vaca-
tion and enter high school in September.

—G. K. Tinker gave a tally-ho ride to a
number of friends this afternoon. The party
went to one of Flagg's tally-hos and were
accompanied by Mrs. G. K. Tinker of Boston.

—The eight deaths in the city last week
were as follows: Hemorrhage 1, con-
sumption 2, stomach disease 1, pneu-
monia 1, weakness 1, heart disease 1,
burning 1. Two of the persons were under
five years of age.

—There will be a supper served in the
white school house in Clarksville Tuesday
evening under the auspices of the Union
Sunday school, after which there will be a
gramophone entertainment under the
direction of H. A. Graves.

—Burdett & Co. shipped a complete
outfit of furniture on Monday to parties in
North Hoosick. They got the contract
for furnishing an entire house against
Troy competition. For low prices people
come to North Adams to trade every
time.

—George L. Parker of C. H. Mathews'
store has a silver coin of the date of 1810,
when Napoleon was emperor of France and
king of Italy. It is a 5 lire piece and
is about the size of a half dollar. The
coin is well preserved and Mr. Parker
carries it as a pocket piece.

—An antecedent light has been placed
at the corner of Holbrook and Yale
streets and it is much appreciated by the
residents of that section, where a light
has long been needed.

—There were two French weddings in
the city this morning. William Belanger
and Miss Georgiana Roy were married by
Rev. Charles H. Jeanpont, and William
Lonsdale and Miss Louise Lebecan were
married by Rev. L. D. Grenier.

—The Father Mathew nine of Blackinton
defeated a North Adams team on the
Greylock grounds Saturday afternoon 16
to 7. The feature of the game was the
pitching of Flaherty of the North Adams
team, who struck out 9 men. The local
team, with a few changes, will play at the
field day in Dalton.

—All the officers and teachers of the
primary department and of the adult de-
partment of the local Baptist Sunday
school are invited to attend Tuesday at
Hodecker's pavilion at Pontecon lake at
Pittsfield, the county convention of the
Baptist Sunday School. Addresses will
be made by distinguished men and Super-
intendents Thring and Darby of this city
will speak.

—The directors of the board of trade
will hold a meeting at the board of trade
on Friday evening before the ban-
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I know not what record a sun awaits me in the other world, but I do know that I never was so mean, but to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant or because he was black.

—John A. Andrew

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"WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY"

From the Seal of the city of North Adams.

MONDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 21, '97

Advertisers in THE TRANSCRIPT are the best business men in this community. Their advertisements are worth reading, and they are the firms with whom to trade most advantageously.

BUSINESS STILL IMPROVING

Don't believe your eing friend who says that business is dead and the country is going to the everlasting bow-wow. Unless all signs are to fail business is better and is to be increasingly better. From the cotton and woolen mills and shoe manufacturers of New England, from the great iron and steel works of Pennsylvania and Ohio and from the farm regions of the Western states comes altogether the promise of better times. The financial evils for the week past are a unit as to the better business conditions prevailing. There is hope and good promise everywhere.

Dun's Review says of the situation that the retarding influence of cold and unreasonable weather has passed. The gain in business which in spite of it was seen a week ago has become clearer still. As no genuine improvement ever begins with an uplifting of prices before the producing force has become fairly employed, this does not, and the bulg of 7,000 bales Australian wool by one cotton house, and 100,000 tons pig iron by a Wall street operator and advancing prices for stocks, are only proof that the actual conditions are understood by some capable men. There is evidence of gradually enlarging business in every important department, more establishments have been set at work and more hands employed, and while prudence still hinders speculative excesses the progress toward better things is unchecked. Reports from the various cities this week show a very general progress, and a continuing large distribution through retail trade.

The iron business, with its immense importance to all other branches of business, is much improved. Large sales are reported. Sales in the west during the past week have been the largest reported in 18 months.

Boot and shoe factors not only have larger orders, but some concessions on boots and shoes made a week ago can no longer be obtained. Supplements on old orders are gaining, and though smaller than for five years or but two percent less than in June, 1892. More dealings are reported in hemlock oil, oil grain and split leather, and though quotations do not alter, concessions formerly reported have been reduced. Hides are stronger, 16 percent at Chicago with the old report of scarcity. The demand for print cloths, for the first time in many months, has exceeded the week's production, and the price has risen a shade, while prints and other grades of cotton goods are in slightly better demand. There is a more widely distributed business in woolen than was expected. Clothiers are buying, and in some cases have a fair trade. Some eastern mills have been in the market, but the bulk of the purchases of wool has again been by speculator houses at Boston, where almost 10 million pounds were sold against 2,500,000 at New York and Philadelphia.

Crop reports from the West are excellent and the sale of grain in foreign markets is large.

Railroad earnings, which show whether business is being done tell a hopeful business story. A remarkable return of foreign trade comes for April showing an excess of imports over exports of only \$1,659,238, while net exports of gold less ore were about \$30,000, and of silver \$1,600,000. This was in spite of an increase of 81 per cent. in dutiable imports and 51 per cent. in customs receipts for the month. Exports were 112 per cent. larger than last year and it is especially noteworthy that on side the principal farm products the exports increased more than 15 per cent.

The whole business situation seems to be one of hope and good promise.

OUR FELICITATIONS TO THE QUEEN

England's good Queen has taken her first step in the succession of events that will mark the proper observance of her diamond jubilee. The eve of that important event is here and it is expected that the price of the last grand stand seat will take a skyward move next.

Early as Victoria was in embarking on the order of exercises for the great fete she didn't get up early enough to anticipate the enterprising and appreciative American press. It is ahead of her. It had already begun to contribute its share to the felicitations and amenities of the occasion in a manner that admitted of no misinterpretation.

What more delightful chronicle could appear, for instance, in connection with the joyful occasion than the story sent out by American newspapers of her intense dislike for the Rt. Hon. William E. Gladstone, and her determination to keep him out of the procession if it was the last thing she ever did? This was so kind of the American press. The occasion was so fitting. Note but the most perfect sympathy with the queen could have

suggested to us over here the propriety of publishing this short bit of pleasant court news at this time.

Then the appearance in an American journal of an alleged postle effort by the poet laureate, Alfred Austin—what a delicate compliment to her majesty to bring those verses over here where they will not jar her nerves until the festivities are past. It is a considerate service that speaks the tender longing of the American press toward the empress-queen.

Then again the publication at this particularly joyous time of the inside private information that the queen is stone deaf and will be unable to see the millions of subjects who will say homage to her on the occasion, is likewise a token of the desire of our newspapers to add as much as possible to the success and enjoyment of the great events of the week.

It might be added, as is still further earnest of the love that draws the two great English-speaking nations closely together, that a bishop in Missouri has forbidden the offering of prayers in behalf of England's queen during the great e

oration.

The American is great and his greatness particularly shines when British affairs are in consideration. He rises to sublime heights of the international brotherhoods.

Commencement week everywhere

Rev. Fr. Knepp was spared space to see the water cure taken successfully by Barney Barnato.

Mr. Bryan evidently intends to conduct the national issues end of the Too Big New York campaign from Ohio

does not help business any to try to make out that it is worse than it is. Hopefulness is more profitable than despair.

A crusade has been inaugurated for a New York. The crusaders may succeed but it will not be the same New York still.

Williams college could find no worthier menu upon whom to bestow her honors of her degree than the governor and lieutenant governor of the communal club.

The senate refuses to ratify a treaty with a great English-speaking nation. It remains to be seen whether it becomes disastrous over the chance of treat with the Kanakas and Portuguese.

The patient and devoted gentleman who plants the ween known from which tall fabrics are grown are unusually tall this season. The high water does it, perhaps. Then again it may be the scarcity of bait that portable No fourth class licensees.

It is no common intellectual treat to have Dr. Bascom speak twice in one week in this city as he is to do the present week. The doctor does not hide his candle under a measure, and his influence for good is hardly less in North Adams than in Williams college.

The moderation of the New York Sun in merely depriving Queen Victoria of her eyesight on the eve of the diamond jubilee excites the wonder of an anxious public. The Sun is in the habit of at least impairing the mentality of distinguished persons for whom it does not entertain friendly feelings.

Lawyers Hes & Dowlin will have one additional week beyond July 12 in which to get together new and remote evidence in the Sheilburne Falls murder trial. If, as the defense claims, there is no evidence of any weight against O'Neil, the ordinary mind wonders why the necessity of so much time in getting ready to rebut no evidence.

The Tre, Sunday Budget was 100 years old Sunday. A 40-page paper was issued which was full of interesting reading and reminiscences. The venerable editor, Hon. C. L. McArthur, is still the leading spirit of the Budget, which is an able, fearless and aggressive newspaper and has a host of friends in this vicinity.

That North Adams people will and want to support a good ball team was shown clearly enough last Saturday by the very large crowd that was at the ball park because of the promise of a good game from strong opponents. It is a strange thing for a city to be howling because no teams beat its own club. Generally, that condition is quite satisfactory.

While Marshall and Main streets are being paved—which is all good—there are other streets in the city that should not be entirely neglected. THE TRANSCRIPT has recently had several severe criticisms come to it of the neglect of some of the back streets. The latest one is from an Asaian street resident who says that while the people on that street don't expect pavement they would like the street kept in respectable repair and appearance.

Introducing a New Stone.

Porter & Hannam are pushing the work on the new school building as fast as possible. The stone that is being used in the underpinning and trimming of the Beaver district school building is very attractive and serviceable and is the first of its kind to be used here. It is a blue marble of good density and hardness and comes from West Rutland, Vt., quarries. It works up beautifully and takes very attractive masonry.

Good smokers know that the "Monogram" is the highest grade 100 cigar in the city. Ask for it. J. F. CONLON.

Finest coffee pure sweet cream, at Ripley's restaurant, 5 cents.

The Metropolitan market is the place to get the best meats at lowest prices.

Table boarders wanted at Ripley's restaurant, 41 Holden, \$35 a week.

All orders prompt delivered by Metropolitan market, 55 Main street. Best meats! lowest prices.

Finest ice cream, 10 cents a quart.

Best ice cream soda, 5 cents at Ripley's ice cream parlors.

Go to Morrison's Metropolitan market for the best quality of meats and vegetables at lowest prices.

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New York Central R. R.

HARLEM DIVISION.

Leave North Adams via B & A. R. R. for New York City, 12:15 a. m., arrive in New York City 3:30 p. m., leave North Adams 3:00 p. m., arrive in New York City 6:30 p. m. Sunday train leaves North Adams at 9:00 a. m. and 2:35 p. m. daily except Sunday, arriving in North Adams at 2:35 p. m. and 6:30 a. m. in New York City 9:30 p. m. F. J. WOLFE, General Agent, Albany, N. Y.

Fitchburg Railroad.

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AT ADAMS TODAY

Impressive Exercises.

Impressive exercises were held at St. Thomas' church Sunday afternoon when the church observed the feast of Corpus Christi by an open air procession of the Blessed Sacrament. A line of march headed by a cross bearer was formed in the church. After the cross bearer came the parishioners in double file followed by the members of the League of the Sacred Heart, the boys of the Sunday school, the girls of the Sunday school all dressed in white and wearing wreaths of flowers, the senior and junior choirs, the torch bearers, master of ceremonies, Rev. Fr. Woodman, and then came a number of little girls scattering flowers before the Blessed Sacrament carried by Fr. Moran under a silk canopy which was carried by four gentlemen. Fr. Moran was attended by Frs. McGrath and Coyne. The procession moved from the church along the street's building at Maple Grove and when finished the old hook and ladder truck will be stored there.

Quite a number of North Adams people attended the exercises at St. Thomas church, Sunday. Regular meeting of George E. Sayles post, G. A. R., this evening. Regular meetings of the selectmen and board of health, this evening. An addition is being built on the fire department's building at Maple Grove and when finished the old hook and ladder truck will be stored there.

Quite a number from this town attended the dance held at Hoosac Valley park, Saturday evening.

Miss E. A. Murphy of Park street spent Sunday in Pittsfield.

The memorial sermon preached at St. Paul's Universalist church Sunday evening was well attended and the pastor's effort was highly appreciated.

Miss Margaret Hughes, Miss Eliza Prairie and Miss Edna Reeves were home from Smith college, Northampton, for the summer vacation.

A large gang of men began this morning to tear up the car tracks on Park street.

The front part of M. E. Potter's store on Centre street is being fitted with a plate glass front.

J. E. Wiethaup has a new team of hack horses.

Wanted.

Two good reliable men, capable of handling large debts, to work insurance. Good salary to right parties. Married men preferred. Inquire P. J. Stanton, Collins Block, Centre street.

There is a class of People
Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit, 15¢ and 35¢ per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Children's Day.
Children's day as observed at the Baptist church Sunday was an auspicious occasion. The church was beautifully trimmed with potted plants, ferns and other floral decorations. The attendance in the evening was large and the program as rendered by the children was pleasing.

The sermon by the pastor was appropriate and carried with it much of good advice for the children.

Surprised by His Friends.

Emil Gustler was pleasantly surprised by about 30 of his friends at his home on Beach street Saturday evening. They called and presented him with a Morris reclining chair in honor of his birthday. During the evening songs were sung, refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent. Joseph Carpenter had the company roaring with laughter at his rendition of a bear dance.

Should Investigate.

A letter in the Sunday Morning Call dwelt at considerable length on the work at the Barrett reservoir and wondered when it would be finished. If the writer had not been talking through his hat he never would have made the statements or made the queries he did. The work was finished two weeks ago today. The writer should not trust so much to his imagination, but investigate.

Derby's Won.

Again the Derbys of Renfrew have demonstrated their ability to play baseball. Saturday afternoon they defeated the Greylocks by a score of 21 to 8. Purcell and Tully were the home team's battery, while Brown and Bresette were in the points for the visitors. Frank Deacon was umpire. The Derbys have not been defeated this season.

Will Go to Dalton.

At the regular meeting of the Father Mathew Temperance society held Sunday afternoon, Frank Duggan, Daniel Kelly and John Murphy were appointed a committee to secure music to accompany the society July 5, when they will attend the Father Mathew county field day at Dalton.

A Fine Residence.

Contractor James Fleming is making plans for a residence to be built for George Kerr at Renfrew. It will be of wood, and will be finely finished inside, with the best modern improvements. It promises to be the finest residence at Renfrew when completed.

A Good Arrangement.

The residence of George Follett is perhaps the best for shade of any in town. The whole exterior of the front is fitted with adjustable awnings which not only afford shade but add much to the appearance of the house. It is the only arrangement of the kind in town.

D. Louis D. Andier was in New York Sunday.

The Junior Gold society served ice cream and cake at St. Mark's parish house Saturday evening.

The first installment of an original serial story written by S. M. Bowles appears in the Progress Review, LaVerne, Iowa, this month. The publisher will send a free sample copy to anyone.

William Priddy of Brooklyn, and Charles H. Davidson of New York have registered at the Mount Pleasant house.

NORTH HEATH

Miss Mamie Hunter of Shelburne Falls, who is teaching the center school, spent last Saturday and Sunday at John H. Underwood's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kendrick of Colrain were at C. J. Hager's last Sunday.

The powerful rain of last week washed the roads badly, but the bridges stood the test.

The surprise party the young folks gave Arthur Fairbanks last Friday evening was a success both in numbers and in pleasure.

They numbered 80.

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See Bargains in Childrens' Wear.

Infants' slips, embroidered, 25c each.

Infants' short dresses, embroidered, 25c each.

Childrens' embroidered caps, 25c each.

Childrens' plain lawn bats, 15c each.

Childrens' white jeans waist, 19c each.

Childrens' muslin skirts, 2 for 25c.

Childrens' muslin drawers, all sizes, 2 for 25c.

Childrens' parasols, 15c each.

See Bargains in Corset Covers.

300 corset covers, with shield pockets, 25c each, former prices 39, 45, and 50c.

324 corset covers, with shield pockets, 30c each, former prices 75c, 88c and \$1.

See Bargains in Muslin Underwear.

Gowns at 39c, that were 50 and 50c.

Drawers at 21c, that were 25 and 35c.

Chemises at 21c that were 25c.

See Bargains in Dress Goods.

250 dress goods will be 19c a yard.

500 dress goods will be 25c a yard.

750 dress goods will be 57c a yard.

\$1 dress goods will be 75c a yard.

\$1.25 dress goods will be 91c a yard, only sold in dress lengths.

See our corset bargain at 39c a pair.

See our Jersey vest bargain at 50c each.

See our wash goods bargain at 50c a yard.

See our gingham bargain at 39c a yard.

See our table linen bargain at 39c a yard.

See our shirt waist bargain at 59c each.

See our silk waist bargain at \$1.98 each.

See our linen skirt bargain at 82c each.

See our wrapper bargain at 79c each.

See our parasol bargain at \$1 each.

See our book bargain at 21c a volume.

See our canvas belt bargain at 15c each.

See our silk belt bargain at 10c each.

See our leather belt bargain at 9c each.

See our hat pin bargain 3c a dozen.

See our spool cotton bargain 21c a dozen.

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THE HOWLAND is roomy, has perfect sanitation and is fitted with all modern conveniences. Faultless service, splendid cuisine, well-equipped cafe (1st and 4th class licenses) and a table fitted with all the delicacies which the market affords.

Special conveniences for and special attention given to tally-ho or picnic parties. Accommodations moderate in price whether here for an hour, a day, a week, or an entire summer vacation.

Lawsonian baseball park nearby; specially constructed handball court, tennis courts and delightful places for all manner of vacation sports. Good lively in connection for parties desiring to take mountain rides. No pains spared to make the stay of guests entirely pleasant. Come here for a vacation hour and you will often return.

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HARRY DONAHUE, Zylonite, Mass.

A GRAND GAME

Was Witnessed at Lawsonian Field Saturday and North Adams Won.

EVERYBODY WAS SATISFIED

With the Contest. Umpire Ryan Did Excellent Work. Every Player Was on His Metal. Plenty of Excitement.

The North Adams public will never ask for a better ball game than the one which took place on Lawsonian field Saturday afternoon between North Adams and the Cuban Giants. Two teams could hardly be better matched and snappier ball playing is not easy to imagine. The attendance numbered fully 1500 and the grand stand contained at least 200 ladies to its number. The game was interesting from the time the first ball was thrown up until the third man was out in the ninth. After the sixth inning the contest became exciting and time and time again the grand stand and bleachers groaned under the violent demonstrations of the spectators.

Umpire Ryan never had a better eye, and not once in the two hours of play were his decisions questioned. There was no sign of a disagreement, no kicking between players, no unpleasant scenes. The contest was as hard and as clean as was ever witnessed in this city and reflects credit upon players and spectators alike.

It was a positive enjoyment to watch the game with its frequent critical moments, and everyone was outspoken in their appreciation of the departure from what has been served up as ball playing for a fortnight or so.

North Adams went to bat first and for five innings failed to put the ball in a safe place, so active were the dark fielders. The sixth brought joy for the home team supporters. Scharf landed a dandy single in left field territory, and "Pounder" Drew came to the rescue with a home run over left field fence. The crowd went wild and the favorite batters had to make a pretty bow to the grand stand to stop the clamor. Keefe who had taken Lawson's place in the fifth, scored in the seventh on an error of Garrison's and on Summers long fly to right field. The curtain-tomorrow bat-biting streak came in the eighth and three had scored before three were out.

The spectators yelled themselves hoarse when Raify crossed the plate, giving North Adams the lead by one. McCann's two-bagger, Scharf's long single to left field and Drew's safe hit almost in the same place dotted three times in the ninth. With score 5 to 6 the ninth the darkies tried their best to heat, and when two of these agile colored fellows had crossed home plate after two men were out, it began to look like a 10 inning game. But Miller hit the ball on the ground to "Nick" Scharf and was a lively man and a moving spring of the world in which he moved. He was quickly out at first, and the game was over. While the ball from Miller's bat was spinning along to Scharf the spectators held their breaths to a man and not until it found a snug resting place in Dooley's glove did the breaths come back. The score:

North Adams. r b po a e
Scharf, 2b. 3 3 5 6 0 0
Drew, cf. 2 2 5 6 0 0
Raify, lf. 1 1 1 0 0 0
Upton, ss. 0 0 1 0 0 0
Dooley, 1b. 0 0 8 0 0 0
Sullivan, 3b. 0 0 1 2 0 0
Garrison, rf. 0 0 0 0 0 0
McCann, p. 1 1 0 1 0 0
Summers, c. 0 0 1 0 0 0
Eegee, rh. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals. 8 7 27 10 3
Cuban Giants. r b po a e
Earned runs, 0 2 0 0 0 0
North Adams, 0 0 0 0 2 1 3 2 8
Cuban Giants, 0 1 3 0 1 0 0 2 7

Earned runs, North Adams 3, Cuban Giants 4; stolen bases, Scharf, Garrison; two base hits, McCann, Garrison; three base hits, Smith; home run, Drew first base on balls; Dooley, Scharf, Dooley, Grant, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, 10b, 11b, 12b, 13b, 14b, 15b, 16b, 17b, 18b, 19b, 20b, 21b, 22b, 23b, 24b, 25b, 26b, 27b, 28b, 29b, 30b, 31b, 32b, 33b, 34b, 35b, 36b, 37b, 38b, 39b, 40b, 41b, 42b, 43b, 44b, 45b, 46b, 47b, 48b, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b, 53b, 54b, 55b, 56b, 57b, 58b, 59b, 60b, 61b, 62b, 63b, 64b, 65b, 66b, 67b, 68b, 69b, 70b, 71b, 72b, 73b, 74b, 75b, 76b, 77b, 78b, 79b, 80b, 81b, 82b, 83b, 84b, 85b, 86b, 87b, 88b, 89b, 90b, 91b, 92b, 93b, 94b, 95b, 96b, 97b, 98b, 99b, 100b, 101b, 102b, 103b, 104b, 105b, 106b, 107b, 108b, 109b, 110b, 111b, 112b, 113b, 114b, 115b, 116b, 117b, 118b, 119b, 120b, 121b, 122b, 123b, 124b, 125b, 126b, 127b, 128b, 129b, 130b, 131b, 132b, 133b, 134b, 135b, 136b, 137b, 138b, 139b, 140b, 141b, 142b, 143b, 144b, 145b, 146b, 147b, 148b, 149b, 150b, 151b, 152b, 153b, 154b, 155b, 156b, 157b, 158b, 159b, 160b, 161b, 162b, 163b, 164b, 165b, 166b, 167b, 168b, 169b, 170b, 171b, 172b, 173b, 174b, 175b, 176b, 177b, 178b, 179b, 180b, 181b, 182b, 183b, 184b, 185b, 186b, 187b, 188b, 189b, 190b, 191b, 192b, 193b, 194b, 195b, 196b, 197b, 198b, 199b, 200b, 201b, 202b, 203b, 204b, 205b, 206b, 207b, 208b, 209b, 210b, 211b, 212b, 213b, 214b, 215b, 216b, 217b, 218b, 219b, 220b, 221b, 222b, 223b, 224b, 225b, 226b, 227b, 228b, 229b, 230b, 231b, 232b, 233b, 234b, 235b, 236b, 237b, 238b, 239b, 240b, 241b, 242b, 243b, 244b, 245b, 246b, 247b, 248b, 249b, 250b, 251b, 252b, 253b, 254b, 255b, 256b, 257b, 258b, 259b, 260b, 261b, 262b, 263b, 264b, 265b, 266b, 267b, 268b, 269b, 270b, 271b, 272b, 273b, 274b, 275b, 276b, 277b, 278b, 279b, 280b, 281b, 282b, 283b, 284b, 285b, 286b, 287b, 288b, 289b, 290b, 291b, 292b, 293b, 294b, 295b, 296b, 297b, 298b, 299b, 300b, 301b, 302b, 303b, 304b, 305b, 306b, 307b, 308b, 309b, 310b, 311b, 312b, 313b, 314b, 315b, 316b, 317b, 318b, 319b, 320b, 321b, 322b, 323b, 324b, 325b, 326b, 327b, 328b, 329b, 330b, 331b, 332b, 333b, 334b, 335b, 336b, 337b, 338b, 339b, 340b, 341b, 342b, 343b, 344b, 345b, 346b, 347b, 348b, 349b, 350b, 351b, 352b, 353b, 354b, 355b, 356b, 357b, 358b, 359b, 360b, 361b, 362b, 363b, 364b, 365b, 366b, 367b, 368b, 369b, 370b, 371b, 372b, 373b, 374b, 375b, 376b, 377b, 378b, 379b, 380b, 381b, 382b, 383b, 384b, 385b, 386b, 387b, 388b, 389b, 390b, 391b, 392b, 393b, 394b, 395b, 396b, 397b, 398b, 399b, 400b, 401b, 402b, 403b, 404b, 405b, 406b, 407b, 408b, 409b, 410b, 411b, 412b, 413b, 414b, 415b, 416b, 417b, 418b, 419b, 420b, 421b, 422b, 423b, 424b, 425b, 426b, 427b, 428b, 429b, 430b, 431b, 432b, 433b, 434b, 435b, 436b, 437b, 438b, 439b, 440b, 441b, 442b, 443b, 444b, 445b, 446b, 447b, 448b, 449b, 450b, 451b, 452b, 453b, 454b, 455b, 456b, 457b, 458b, 459b, 460b, 461b, 462b, 463b, 464b, 465b, 466b, 467b, 468b, 469b, 470b, 471b, 472b, 473b, 474b, 475b, 476b, 477b, 478b, 479b, 480b, 481b, 482b, 483b, 484b, 485b, 486b, 487b, 488b, 489b, 490b, 491b, 492b, 493b, 494b, 495b, 496b, 497b, 498b, 499b, 500b, 501b, 502b, 503b, 504b, 505b, 506b, 507b, 508b, 509b, 510b, 511b, 512b, 513b, 514b, 515b, 516b, 517b, 518b, 519b, 520b, 521b, 522b, 523b, 524b, 525b, 526b, 527b, 528b, 5